

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: SEMANTIC RESPONSE TO LOCK  
REQUESTS TO REDUCE COHERENCE  
OVERHEAD IN MULTI-NODE SYSTEMS

Via EFS - Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE**

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2011.